

## PATENT APPLICATION

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re U.S. A	pplication of:	)		
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For: MOLD, MANUFACTURING METHOD OF A MOLD, MANUFACTURING METHOD OF A RECORDING MEDIUM AND A		)		
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SUBSTRATE FOR SUCH A		)		
RECORDING MEDIUM		)		
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Art Unit:	1722	)		
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Examiner:	Heckenberg Jr, Donald H.	)		

## **AMENDMENT B**

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated April 30, 2004, please amend the above-identified Application as follows:

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